

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

(Large Entity)

Docket No.
2-302 RE/CON

In Re Application Of: TCHAO, Ruy

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Examiner
Wong, L.

Group Art Unit

Invention: **CHEMOTAXIS ASSAY PROCEDURE**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 6/30/00 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: 9/30/00 *Date* until: 11/30/00 *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$390 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **08-2461**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **08-2461**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: November 28, 2000

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C.
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